





FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

 The Commission

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MUR 6987 (Florida Freedom PAC) - Pre-Probable Cause Conciliation Agreement **SUBJECT:**

Attached is a negotiated conciliation agreement that resolves violations of 52 U.S.C. § 30104(g), stemming from Florida Freedom PAC and Gihan J. Perera in his official capacity as treasurer (the "Committee") failing to file or timely file 24-Hour and 48-Hour Reports of independent expenditures ("IE") totaling \$604,423.73 during the 2012 election cycle. Attach. 1. See Certification, MUR 6987 (Nov. 19, 2015) (finding reason to believe that the Committee violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(g) and authorizing pre-probable cause conciliation).

Therefore, we recommend that the Commission accept the attached signed conciliation agreement and close the file in this matter.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. Accept the attached conciliation agreement with Florida Freedom PAC and Gihan J. Perera in his official capacity as treasurer.
- 2. Approve the appropriate letter.
- 3. Close the file.